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Ellen lived for 21 years in the 10th Ward in Salt Lake prior to her marriage. She was employed at ZCMI manufacturing overalls before she married. With her husband she moved to Heber and lived for eight years before going to the Midway resort. She proved a good helpmate to her husband in operating the resort.

William and Ellen were the parents of 13 children:

John Henry Luke, married Alada G. Ross;
William Andrew Luke, Jr., married Leona Jensen and Elizabeth Shelton Meeks;
Mrs. William Wells (Nellie May) Gibson;
George Edward Luke, married Jannett Gibson;
Charles Franklin Luke, married Cordelia Shelton;
James Alfred Luke, died in infancy;
Douglas Luke, died in youth;
Wallace Luke, married Clara E. Bentley;
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Andrew was born in northern Sweden, and was employed as a traveling salesman for men's clothing. He met his wife during his business travels.

Successful in his sales work, Andrew was able to save enough money to pay his family's fare to America, and also pay for two other families to come with them.

After coming to America, Andrew settled in Heber City in 1873 and then three years later moved to Park City where he began prospecting in the mountains. He discovered many claims and was able to sell them for good prices. His greatest discovery was what is now known as the Silver King Mine. Through his lack of knowledge of American courts and the ways of dishonest men, this rich discovery was taken away from him. However, he did receive enough from it to buy a choice piece of property in Midway in 1893 from Anna Moser.

Being a very industrious man, Andrew started many work projects on his new property. He hired many of the residents of Midway to help him. He cleared many acres of sagebrush and oak, leveled the high places on his farm and planted many acres of grain. He planted a lovely orchard against the mountain and drained swamps. He erected a large water wheel to furnish power for chopping grain and doing many other farm tasks. He built a small red brick home and then later a larger one. He also built a large swimming pool to take advantage of the warm springs that dotted his property.

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